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International Search Report dated September 10, 2004 established in International Patent Application No. PCT/EP03/13247 of which this application is the U.S. National Stage.

CONCISE STATEMENT OF RELEVANCY (Non-English Language Documents Only)

All of the documents identified on the appended PTO-1449 form are mentioned in the International Search Report established in International Patent Application No. PCT/EP03/13247, of which this application is the U.S. National Stage. The relevancy of each document is indicated in the Search Report.

STATEMENT OF CUMULATIVE INFORMATION

WO 99/04983 corresponds to U.S. 6,491,324.

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English language translations of the non-English language documents are not available to Applicant's attorney apart from corresponding English language patents or published patent applications indicated above and in the family information appended to the International Search Report.

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